

RACIAL PROFILING DATA/2006

Agency: Maryland Heights Police Dept.

Population: 21,850

age 16 and over

KEY INDICATORS	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Stops	14002	10401	2881	318	275	24	103
Searches	1554	915	547	71	8	2	11
Arrests	980	512	405	56	3	0	4
Statewide population %	N/A	84.22	10.73	2.13	1.39	0.44	1.09
Local population %	N/A	81.70	5.81	2.08	9.32	0.20	0.89
Disparity index	N/A	0.91	3.54	1.09	0.21	0.85	0.83
Search rate	11.10	8.80	18.99	22.33	2.91	8.33	10.68
Contraband hit rate	13.84	14.86	14.08	1.41	0.00	0.00	9.09
Arrest rate	7.00	4.92	14.06	17.61	1.09	0.00	3.88

Notes: Population figures are 2006 Census estimates for persons 16 years of age and older who designated a single race. Hispanics may be of any race. Other includes persons of mixed race and unknown race.

Disparity index = (proportion of stops / proportion of population). A value of 1 represents no disparity; values greater than 1 indicate over-representation, values less than 1 indicate under-representation.

Search rate = (searches / stops) X 100.

Contraband hit rate = (searches with contraband found / total searches) X 100.

Arrest rate = (arrests / stops) X 100.

#Error indicates zero denominator.

VEHICLE STOP STATS		Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Reason for stop	Moving	10026	7890	1643	196	207	16	74
	Equipment	2049	1277	657	62	34	5	14
	License	2183	1394	663	69	38	3	16
	Investigative	278	178	78	12	3	2	5
Stop outcome	Citation	9702	7282	1951	238	169	12	50
	Warning	8297	5981	1873	180	173	16	74
	No action	154	105	41	3	3	0	2
Location of stop	Interstate hwy	2059	1503	486	31	27	1	11
	US hwy	874	650	175	23	14	2	10
	State hwy	2571	1979	462	62	48	2	18
	County road	5406	4032	1079	121	123	7	44
	City street	2908	2127	613	78	60	12	18
	Other	184	110	66	3	3	0	2
Driver gender	Male	9048	6743	1748	275	174	19	89
	Female	4954	3658	1133	43	101	5	14
Driver age	17 and under	470	388	56	9	12	1	4
	18-29	6162	4503	1338	186	84	10	41
	30-39	3162	2216	759	79	71	8	29
	40 and over	4208	3294	728	44	108	5	29

SEARCH STATS		Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Probable cause/ authority to search	Consent	602	409	162	17	4	2	8
	Inventory	239	119	110	8	1	0	1
	Drug/alcohol odor	203	138	59	3	0	0	3
	Incident to arrest	833	422	358	48	2	0	3
	Plain view contraband	27	20	7	0	0	0	0
	Reasonable suspicion-weapon	74	54	16	3	1	0	0
	Drug-dog alert	4	1	3	0	0	0	0
	Other	8	5	3	0	0	0	0
What searched	Driver	102	56	34	11	1	0	0
	Car/property	68	47	17	2	1	0	1
	Driver & Property	1384	812	496	58	6	2	10
Search duration	0-15 minutes	1458	859	509	69	8	2	11
	16-30 minutes	92	56	34	2	0	0	0
	31+ minutes	4	0	4	0	0	0	0
Contra-band found	Drugs/alcohol	182	113	67	1	0	0	1
	Currency	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
	Weapon	8	4	4	0	0	0	0
	Stolen property	8	5	3	0	0	0	0
	Other	24	20	4	0	0	0	0
Arrest charge	Outstanding warrant	522	202	310	9	0	0	1
	Drug violation	94	57	36	0	0	0	1
	Resist arrest	6	2	4	0	0	0	0
	Offense against person	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
	Traffic Violation	339	145	154	37	2	0	1
	DWI/BAC	226	189	25	10	1	0	1
	Property offense	8	5	3	0	0	0	0
	Other	42	23	15	4	0	0	0

Agency response

Maryland Heights has 1,672 businesses, which employ 53,250 people. The city contains the Harrah's Casino, which had 9,680,382 visitors in 2006. The 20,000 seat Verizon Wireless Amphitheater had 349,405 visitors in 2006. The city has 20 hotels with 3,467 rooms. Maryland Heights has 63 liquor establishments selling alcohol by the drink. Finally, the section of I-270 in Maryland Heights has an average daily traffic count reported by MoDOT of 187,552 vehicles, second highest in the state. The annual demographics of the 68,456,480 vehicles on I-270, the 9,680,382 visitors to the casino, the 349,405 visitors to the amphitheater, and the 53,250 people employed in Maryland Heights are not known and impact the validity of this report.